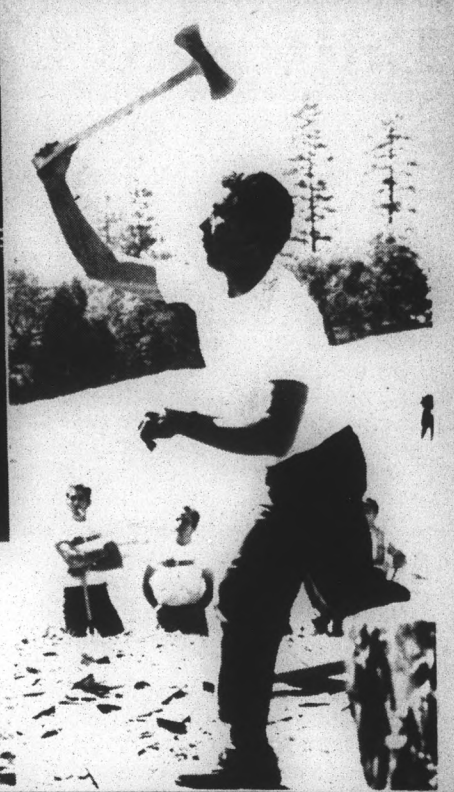


# ACTION AND FUN AT CAMP NELSON'S ANNUAL PAUL BUNYAN DAYS



PROFESSIONAL LOGGERS, most of them members of the California Lumberjacks' association, put on a fine two-day show over the past weekend for third annual Paul Bunyan days at Camp Nelson, sponsored by the Western High Sierra association. Photos show Martin Hedrick, from Grass Valley, throwing a logger's ax for a bullseye, and his son, Wesley competing in the same event with the crowd seated behind him in warm sunshine on a grassy hillside. Martin Hedrick was all-around winner in over-all competition, which isn't new for him, since he is all-around California logging champion. . . Additional photos page 8.

(Greta Stewart photos)



## The FARM TRIBUNE

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### BUCK SHAFFER WILL BE HONORED AT REDWOOD DEDICATION, SATURDAY

SEQUOIA CREST — A giant Redwood in the Honor Grove at Sequoia Crest will be dedicated to Frank "Buck" Shaffer in a ceremony set for 2 p.m., Saturday, at the grove, with the public invited to attend.

Shaffer, head of the instrumental music department in the Porterville Union High School district, director of the Panther band, and founder and director of the Fabulous Studio band, will be honored "as a leader in the conservation of

patriotism and the nation's youth."

Playing during the ceremony will be the Panther band; principal speaker will be Jeri Rouch Baker, a former member of the band; master of ceremonies will be Brent Gill, former drum major. Special invitations have been sent to all ex-band members.

Shaffer is the fourth individual to be honored with a plaque on a Redwood in the

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### Highway Benefit Dance Saturday At Springville

SPRINGVILLE — You don't often read about this kind of benefit dance, but Springville is going to do it - a dance Saturday night, October 17, in the Springville Memorial building for benefit of the town's curb and gutter fund.

Dancing to Western music is set for 9 p.m. until 1 a.m.; refreshments will be sold; admission is \$1.50 per person;

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### "GREEN NUT WITH THE GOLDEN FUTURE" IS THEME FOR TERRA BELLA BANQUET

TERRA BELLA — The Terra Bella chamber of commerce banquet, 7 p.m. Thursday, October 22, will honor the pistachio industry and will be themed to "The Green Nut With The Golden Future."

Program for the event is to be provided by the W.D. Fowler & Sons Corp., a pioneer in the California pistachio industry. The program will feature both slides and a color film.

The colored narrated film, entitled "California's Newest Agricultural Frontier," will have its premiere public showing at the banquet. The film, much of it taken from the air, shows the Terra Bella area to great pictorial

advantage, and deals with the culture and processing of the pistachio. It was put together for the Fowlers by Dr. Marco Bruschi of Bakersfield. Also shown are ways in which the Fowlers have pioneered in the field.

Glen Fowler, vice president of the corporation, will narrate a slide show which depicts pistachio culture in its age-old Middle East environs.

W.D. Fowler, president of the corporation, which is a subsidiary of Pacific Lighting company, will introduce the program and also answer questions about pistachios.

The senior Fowler has been in Terra Bella since 1957, bringing his operations there from Kern county. A native of Canada, Fowler came to California at the

age of seven. He attended school in Oakland and is a graduate of the University of California at Berkeley, holding a degree in chemistry.

For 10 years he was with Standard Oil company as a chemist and engineer, inventing several types of equipment still in use by the company. He and his wife Ruth, have been active in civic affairs in Terra Bella. He is a director of the Terra Bella Irrigation district and a past president of the Terra Bella chamber of commerce, as well as having membership in a number of professional organizations. The Fowlers live in Terra Bella.

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### SHRINERS WILL ADD COLOR TO NOV. 11 PARADE

PORTERVILLE — Teheran Shrine, from Fresno, and Shrine units from Bakersfield will be back in Porterville again on November 11 to add color and fun to the Veterans' Day and Homecoming parade that will move through downtown Porterville, starting at 10 a.m.

Hazel Lofton, parade secretary, says that the Shriners will have their bands, their marching units, and their mounted groups, all in colorful costume, plus a variety of comedy units and clowns.

In addition, the parade will feature school bands, riders, horseless carriages, floats, decorated cars, and special entries. Riding as grand marshal will be Fran Torigian, Porterville chief of police.

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### CANDIDATES FOR HOMECOMING QUEEN SOUGHT

PORTERVILLE — Candidates for Homecoming queen at Porterville's 52nd annual Veterans' Day and Homecoming celebration on November 11 are being sought by various organizations in the community.

Chairman of the queen selection committee is Mrs. Ialene Flory; assisting is Buck Shaffer. The queen will serve during the following year as Miss Porterville, appearing at various civic functions.

Qualifications for candidates are that girls be college freshmen or high school seniors, unmarried, and willing to serve for a year as Miss Porterville. Judging is on a basis of appearance, poise, and personality.

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### Past Commanders' Dinner Kick Off For Celebration

PORTERVILLE — Traditional kickoff for Porterville's Veterans Day and Homecoming celebration - Past Commanders' dinner, Post 20, The American Legion - has been set for the evening of October 28 at the Legion hall, with dinner to be served at 6:30 p.m.

Handling arrangements will be John Herrell, president of the Past Commanders' club for 1969-70. Incoming president for the 1970-71 year is Herb Short, with Pete Wells, treasurer and Ed Flory, secretary.

The Past Commanders' club will host members of Post 20 at the October 28 dinner, along with dignitaries and special guests.

### PIONEER WATER COMPANY PROJECT GETS FEDERAL FUNDING; WORK TO START ON PIPELINE THIS WINTER

PORTERVILLE — Inclusion of \$50,000 for the Pioneer Water company in a public works appropriation bill signed into law October 7 by President Richard M. Nixon was announced this week by Congressman Bob Mathias.

The money represents the first appropriation toward a \$460,000 project designed to put all of the Pioneer Water company distribution system into pipeline, involving about 15 miles of line that will replace present open ditches.

Work will get underway this winter, according to Al Hilton, president of the Pioneer Water company board of directors. Three years is provided in the water company contract with the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation for completion of the total project.

Financing from the federal government will be in the form of an interest-free loan, re-payable over a 35-year period. Directors of the Pioneer Water company have worked out a re-payment schedule with money that is anticipated from sale of irrigation water.

Hilton points out that because new lines will be laid generally in ditches that are in use during the irrigation season, it will be necessary to complete the project in small sections, with a major part of the work to be done during winter months when the ditches are not in use.

Plans and specifications for the project have been approved by the Bureau of Reclamation; final details of the actual contract were worked out at a recent meeting between directors of the water company and Bureau officials.

Final draft of the contract will be signed by Pioneer directors as soon as it is received from the Sacramento office of the Bureau.

Completion of project plans, contract signing, and actual appropriation of funds represents a culmination of work by Hilton and the Pioneer Water company board of directors over a period of some three years.

The Public Works appropriation bill for fiscal 1971 that includes the Pioneer Water company project totals more than \$2,000,000, with Mathias stating that other projects involved are: Buttonwillow Improvement district, \$1 million; Arvin-Edison Water Storage

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### The Treasure Will Be Found!

PORTERVILLE — The treasure will be found sometime between today and Saturday.

The prize of Porterville's Treasure Days is what we are talking about - a prize that started October 1 at \$70,000 with a \$5,000 per day reduction if not found.

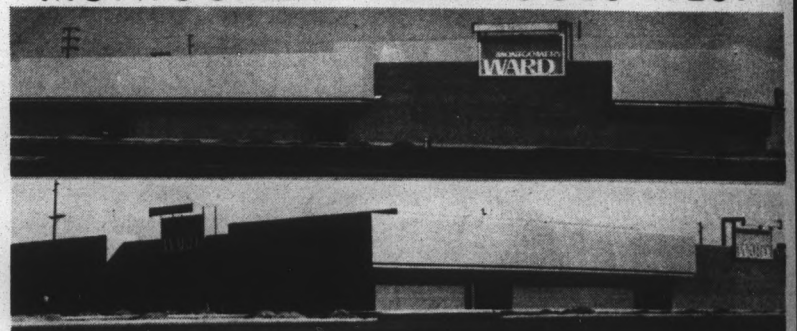
The treasure amounts to \$1,000 both today and tomorrow, then drops to \$500 on Saturday, the final day of the event.

Clues have been issued each day through participating

merchants, and treasurer hunters have been on the move without success so far. But Co-Chairmen Jess Land and Uly Priftike say that as clues get easier, some treasure hunter is bound to hit the pot of gold.

And for the final days, greater Porterville merchants are putting treasure buys in their stores - plus the daily clue. Which means pirates have a double shot today, tomorrow and Saturday - merchandise bargains, and the possibility of digging up 500 bucks.

### MONTGOMERY WARD GOES WEST



NEW, LARGE, modern - that's Montgomery Ward's store in the Plaza Shopping Center at Henderson and 65 Freeway that will open to the public next Wednesday, October 21, at 9:30 a.m. with Fritz Pusch as manager. The firm's Main street store will be closed. United California bank is in a new building in the Plaza, other construction is slated for the near future. The Farm Tribune photos show two views of the new Montgomery Ward building.



## Editorial Comment

### MANY FOR THE MINI

When issues of great national or state import arise. Californians can be counted upon to rally round with firm and sound opinions.

Witness their response to the crucial social question: Shall it be the mini skirt or the midi?

By large majorities, California men and women opt for the mini. According to The California Poll, most women interviewed said they either will not buy any fall clothes at all or will go far afield to find the mini dresses and skirts they prefer. The Poll doesn't indicate that this has yet taken on the impetus of a Women's Lib crusade, but it should give some store buyers something to think about.

The men, understandably, are just as firm in their opinion. For every male who for some unfathomable reason says he would urge his wife or girl friend to buy a midi, eight say they'll try to talk the gals out of such a move.

Mervyn Field, director of the Poll, points out that this resistance to a new fashion edict by designers is a serious test of the "hitherto inviolable law that the American woman will follow the decrees of a small band of fashion designers and style setters."

Its impact on retail sales could be important, too, as witness the fact that the only exceptions to the general trend toward the mini are "men and women 70 years and over and those with incomes under \$5 thousand a year, hardly the prime target for new ladies' dresses."

Mini happy returns!

### ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS PRESENTED; VARIETY OF REPORTS ARE HEARD AT VANDALIA 4-H CLUB MEETING

VANDALIA — Vandalia 4-H club's annual achievement night was highlighted by the presentation of year pins and stripes, star ranks, junior leader certificates and perfect attendance awards to members.

Leaders were given recognition for their years of service to 4-H; a Gold seal was presented to the club for its achievements during the past year.

Mrs. Ed Traylor, past local club leader, presented the California Bankers pins and stripes to 1st year: Kathy Bennett, Pam Bowker, Mitchell Brown, Laura Buckley, Tim Buckley, Leca Emerson, Karen Harden, Katherine Homer, Gary Laux, Leighann Milford, Randy Reece, Becky Rippee and John Shelton;

2nd year: David Behunin, Mabelle Brown, Dennis Carson, Carla Carter, Ann Duysen, Danny Grant, Garry Jefford, Danise Mahnke, Cathy Santos, Joey Santos, Jeff Shelton and Katherine Daybell;

3rd year: Sylver Corkins, Maureen Hovden, Dennis Laux, Bryce Reece, Alan Reuter, Charles Reuter, Patty Santos and Betsy Shelton;

4th year: Glenn Bakalian, Steve Bakalian, Chris Bastian, Steve Behunin, Greg Bennett, Chris Ferrell, Sue Holloway, Leslie Laux, Tom Mosconi, Randy Queen, Brenda Rountree, Brent Scranton and Aileen Smith;

5th year: Billy Bennett, Tim Corkins, Dan Holloway, and Steve Schmid;

6th year: Teresa Behunin, Richard Bennett, Bruce Carter, John Corkins, Darnell Grant, Colette Laux, Robert Shelton and Emmy Lu Weldon;

7th year: John Bennett, Nanci Carter, Beverly Smith and Gary Williams;

And 8th year: Patrick Bennett, Janice Scranton and Richard Schmid.

Nanci Carter, 1970 All-Star, presented bronze stars to Mabelle Brown, Dennis Carson, Carla Carter, Sylver Corkins, Sue Holloway, Dennis Laux, Danise Mahnke, Brenda Rountree, Cathy Santos, Joey Santos, Betsy Shelton and Jeff Shelton; silver stars to Steve Bakalian, Billy Bennett, Greg Bennett, Tim Corkins, Dan Holloway, Colette Laux, Patty Santos,

Steve Schmid and Brent Scranton; and Gold stars to John Bennett, Richard Bennett and Bruce Carter.

Junior leader certificates were presented by Mrs. Wilbert Scranton for one year: Billy Bennett, Richard Bennett, Darnell Grant and Cathy Santos; two years: Bruce Carter, John Corkins and Colette Laux; and three years: John Bennett and Nanci Carter. Four years: Janice Scranton.

Perfect attendance awards were presented by John Bennett, 1970 All-Star, to: Glenn Bakalian, Steve Bakalian, Greg Bennett, Patrick Bennett, Richard Bennett, Mabelle Brown, Mitchell Brown, Laura Buckley, Tim Buckley, Bruce Carter, Carla Carter, Nanci Carter, John Corkins, Sylver Corkins, Tim Corkins, Katherine Daybell, Ann Duysen, Dan Holloway, Sue Holloway, Katherine Homer, Dennis Laux, Gary Laux, Leighann Milford, Danise Mahnke, Bryce Reece, Randy Reece, Alan Reuter, Charles Reuter, Becky Rippee, Brenda Rountree, Patty Santos, Steve Schmid, Betsy Shelton, Jeff Shelton and John Shelton.

Leader certificates were presented by Mrs. Wilbert Scranton for one year: Monroe Carson and Mrs. Glen Duysen; three years: Mrs. Richard Grant, Mrs. Don Laux, Don Laux, Mrs. Joe Santos and Mrs. Harrison Smith; four years: Mrs. Al Bakalian, William Bennett, Mrs. George Carter, Mrs. Jack Corkins, Mrs. Clyde Ferrell and Wilbert Scranton; six years: Mrs. William Bennett; eight years: Mr. and Mrs. Dale Weldon; eleven years: Robert Bennett; and sixteen years: Mrs. Wilbert Scranton.

The program for the evening was the showing of "The 4-H Story," narrated by Bruce Carter. A special announcement was that Bruce had been selected as a state winner in the Community Beautification program and will attend the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago November 29 to December 3 as a California delegate.

The business meeting was opened by Danny Carson and Kit Daybell leading the flag salute and 4-H pledge. "The Star Spangled Banner" was led by Carla Carter and Leighann

### ARABIAN HORSE SHOW OVER THE WEEKEND

BAKERSFIELD — San Joaquin Valley Arabian Horse show will be held this weekend, October 17-18, at the Kern County fairgrounds in Bakersfield, with 350 entries from throughout California expected.

Halter classes are set for 8 a.m.; performance classes, 1:30 p.m.; and Saturday evening show, 7:30 p.m. There is no admission charge.

Classes will include western, English, cutting, driving, and native costume. Featured act will be the Lucky Stars exhibition in trick and Roman riding.

### HALLOWEEN HORSE SHOW SET OCTOBER 25

TULARE — Third Annual Halloween Horse show has been set by the Tulare Horsemen's association for October 25 at the Circle N stables, three miles east of Highway 99 on Prosperity, with western and gymkhana events scheduled. Entries close October 22.

Entry fees are \$2.00 per class; post entry, \$3.00. Judge will be Errol Densford, of Clovis; entries can be sent to Miss Karen Nalbandian, 12742 Ave. 240, Tulare, Ca. 93274. Her telephone is 686-4476.

Milford. Bruce Carter, citizenship chairman, outlined plans for the activity this year and urged 4-H parents to vote in the November election. Colette Laux reported on the 4-H window display.

Kit Daybell reported that members attended the First Christian church for 4-H Sunday.

Tulare County Fair reports were given by: Laura Buckley, flowers; Kathy Bennett, vegetables; Gary Laux, citrus and olives; Randy Reece, judging contest; Mitchell Brown, market beef; Mabelle Brown, beef showmanship; Katherine Homer, market sheep; Sylver Corkins, sheep breeding; Emmy Lu Weldon, sheep showmanship. Vandalia 4-H had the second place dairy judging team composed of Carla Carter, Nanci Carter and Bruce Carter.

The club voted to enter a decorated car in the Veterans Parade, November 11 with John Bennett and Bruce Carter heading the committee. Mrs. Russell Reece, local leader, announced that home ec workshops will be held in October.

The County talent night will be November 21 in Porterville; the Great Western will be November 3 to 8; an officers and junior leaders training day will be held in Visalia November 14.

Refreshments were served following the meeting from a fall decorated table by chairmen Bryce Reece, Brent Scranton and their committee members.

Supplies of honeydew melons from the Sacramento valley are moving in fair volume.

Green peppers are moving in good volume from coastal producing areas.

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LUNCHEON GUEST in Porterville, Saturday, was Ev Younger, second from right, candidate for California attorney general. On a campaign tour through the state, Younger spoke briefly on problems of crime and law enforcement in the state, and met with a number of his friends in the area. Others in photo, from left:

Bill Bennett, of Porterville, county co-chairman for Younger; Ralph Rosedale, of Dinuba, chairman of the Tulare County Republican Central committee; Florence Doe, of Visalia, county co-chairman for Younger; and Jack Lucey, Porterville chairman for Younger. The luncheon was held at Gang Sue's.

(Edwards Studio photo)

### We Only Heard

BY BILL RODGERS

SO THE guy on the next stool says that now that Montgomery Ward is about ready to open in the Plaza Shopping center, Alpha Beta market will be next, maybe in about a year, with a 20,000 square foot building. Tied around the market will be other businesses, with ultimately perhaps 50 enterprises, large and small, in the Plaza. . . That's what the man said.

DEPLORABLE INDEED are some of the National Anthem singers who hit TV just before the pro football games start. . . And we do mean deplorable, which is regrettable. . . But not so with Jim Nabors. Of his performance before the L.A. Rams - San Diego Chargers game, he gets our Oscar as the best in the business.

THERE IS some reason to believe that Porterville's 1970-71 classical season of music, literature and art will be officially launched the evening of November 6 in what has become the community's unchallenged seat of culture, namely and specifically the Mountain Lion saloon, since rumor is somewhat rampant that one Roy Pederson, former Porterville city manager, will be in town that night with a group of his cronies to watch Monache high stomp Cantwell of Montebello. Roy, now city manager at Montebello, has some outspoken and contrary ideas as to who will stomp

whom, but he has indicated that he will bring his trumpet and that he will consent to again occupy first chair if the MLS Bach quintet can be ready for a concert performance. Of which there is every indication that it can. While neither final or initial plans have as yet been formulated, it is suggested that trail tramps and saddle bums who, beneath their humble raiment have the soul of artists, mark the date in the dust and ride into town that night just to see what's going on along the old Emigrant trail.

PORTERVILLE CITY election next April. . . Two council seats available. . . Someone better get to thinking about it. . . That is the right someones who can face up to tough and realistic financial decisions.

TALKING TO Buck Shaffer about his getting a Redwood dedicated to him at Sequoia Crest next Saturday. Says Buck, jokingly, "Makes me sort of feel like I'm dead." But Buck sure isn't, and one of the nice things about the Redwood Honor Grove program is that folks get their tree while they can still read the plaque. . . And we can't think of a better man to honor than the ol' buckaroo himself.

### CALIFORNIA SPEAKS

WENDY FLAGEL, Westminster, on the midi-skirt — "I'm not ready to look like a grandmother before my time! Give us back our legs, please!"

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PORTERVILLE STATE hospital's psychology office has posted the "No Vacancy" sign for the first time in its 17 year history. Dr. Kent Kilburn, chief psychologist, second from left, is going over assignments with the

three new additions: John Mabry, Ph.D., at the left; Robert Johnson, psychology associate, 3rd from left; and Dave McGourty, Ph.D. The hospital is budgeted for 10 psychologists including Dr. Kilburn.

### "PARENTS' NIGHT" IS FEATURE OF PLEASANT VIEW 4-H MEETING

PLEASANT VIEW — A Parents' Night, Get Acquainted program featured a potluck dinner meeting of the Pleasant View 4-H club held October 5.

During business session of the meeting, project reports were given by: Randy Roberts, Gloria Almeida, and Bill Cornell; other reports were given by: Pam Quatacker, Poplar barbecue; Teresa Alley, 4-H window; Dina Souza, Veterans' day float; Pam Holterman, dress review at the Tulare County fair; Gloria Almeida, home economics; Randy Roberts, entomology;

### "MULLER DAY" BARBECUE SET SUNDAY

TERRA BELLA — Friends of Raymond Muller have arranged a "Raymond Muller Day" with a beef barbecue and entertainment in Bartlett park, Sunday, October 18, 1 p.m. until 4 p.m.

The public is invited to attend; adult charge is \$2.50; children, \$1.25. Muller, incumbent supervisor in the fifth district, is seeking reelection on November 3.

In charge of entertainment, that will get underway about 2:30 p.m., is Ray Holloway of Porterville. Walt Flagler, of Poplar, will barbecue the meat.

Los Angeles is the leading trucking center in the United States.

### Republicans Set Election Jamboree For October 22

EXETER — Tickets are selling briskly for the October 22 Election Jamboree, a fund raising dinner to be given at the Exeter Memorial building by the Tulare County Republican Central committee. Roger Brock of Lindsay is chairman of the event.

Dr. Gaylord Parkinson, who served as chairman of the Republican State Central Committee from 1964 to 1966, and who more currently is in charge of the Republican "Victory Squad" effort state-wide this November, will be the featured speaker.

Invited guests will be all state constitutional officers, as well as local state and federal legislative representatives, including Congressman Bob Mathias, State Senator Howard Way and Assemblyman Gordon Duffy. All are expected to have a part in the program.

Tickets for the event are \$15 per plate, and can be secured from central committee members and other active Republicans throughout Tulare county.

and Joe Fallert, photography.

Junior leader certificates were awarded to: Pam Holterman, Dina Souza, and Bill Cornell.

### Ducor 4-H Club Rated "Banner Club" In County Community Pride Program

DUCOR — Opal Todd, community leader for the Ducor 4-H club has announced that the Ducor club has been named as one of Tulare county's three "Banner Clubs" in the Community Pride program.

The purpose of this program is to encourage 4-H members to improve the appearance of their community and homes, and also to learn the importance of conservation.

During the past year Ducor 4-H members conducted a community clean-up, bought material for a bench and painted it for use at the Porterville Fair, collected coupons for the State hospital and donated Christmas gifts to the Patients, planted

trees at the Fountain Springs Fire station. In addition they also planted over 100 small trees in Mountain Home State forest to reforest timber skid trails.

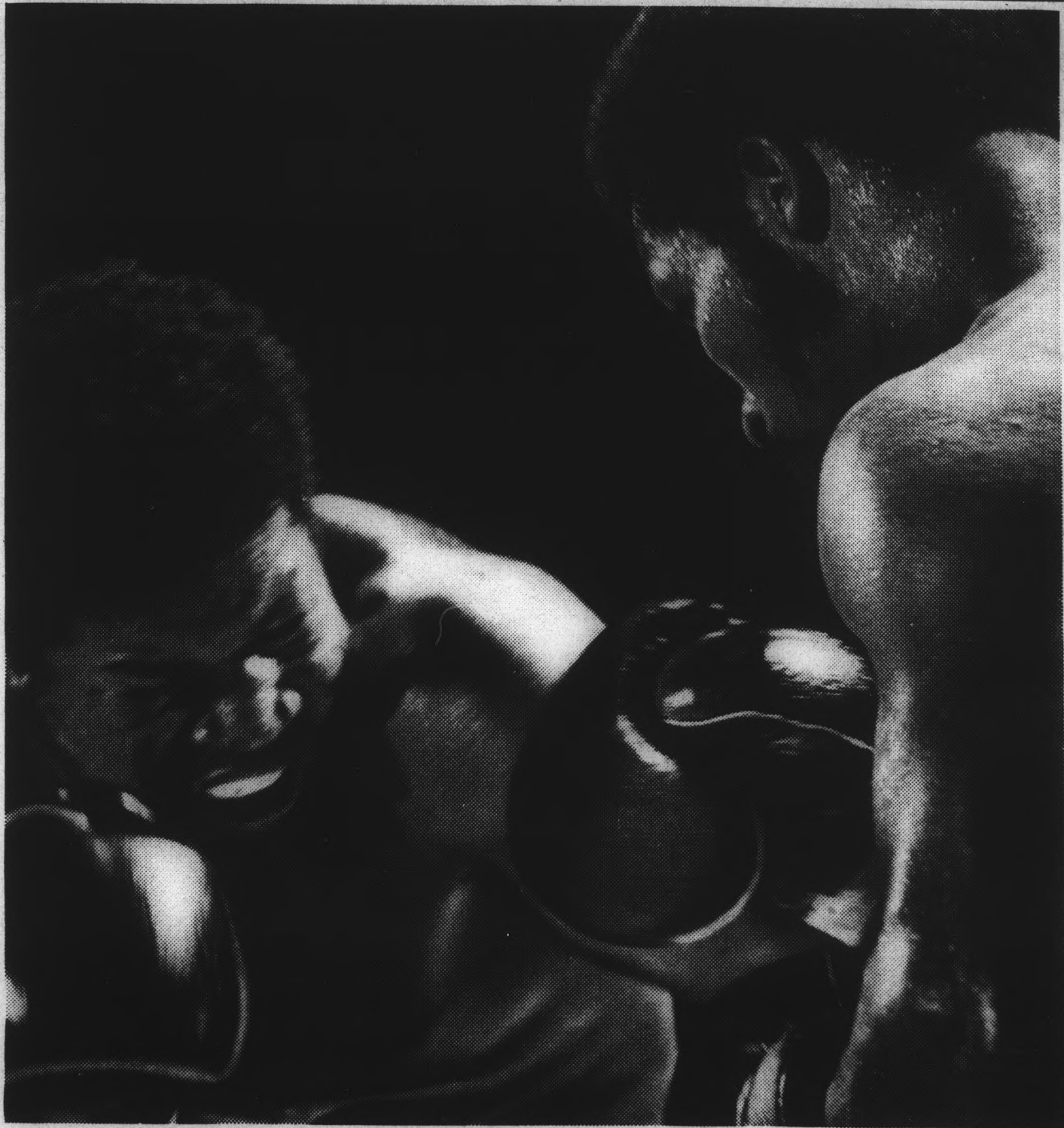
John Parsons, Scott DeLaney, Debra Todd and Julie Swartzlander will represent the club at the Community Pride conference at LaHonda on October 17-18. Jerry Swartzlander, forestry project leader, will accompany the 4-H members.

### HEARING UNDERWAY ON NUCLEAR PLANT

SAN CLEMENTE — Southern California Edison company and San Diego Gas & Electric company have opened their presentations of detailed testimony and exhibits before the California Public Utilities commission seeking authority to expand the San Onofre Nuclear Generating station. The two utilities are requesting PUC "certificates of public convenience and necessity" to construct two 1.1 million kilowatt nuclear units as additions to the San Onofre station.

### HONORARY PASSES FOR SENIOR CITIZENS

PORTERVILLE — Honorary activities passes are available to all senior citizens of the Porterville-High School district, according to an announcement made by Tom Van Groningen, district superintendent. He said the passes will be provided to all those senior citizens who apply for them at the district office.



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## HOSPITAL AUXILIARY DISBANDS AFTER 14 YEARS OF WORK

SPRINGVILLE — Members of the Tulare County Auxiliary of the Springville hospital met for the last time September 30 and disbanded, after 14 years of work in providing "extras" for patients at the hospital.

The final meeting was held at The Paul Bunyan, in Porterville; reason for disbanding - the hospital has been phased out by the Tulare county board of supervisors.

Five of the group's charter members and three past presidents attended the final meeting, presided over by Mrs. Earl D. Kinyon of Springville, a three-time president. Others were: Mesdames A.C. Spuhler, of Strathmore; David Keith, of Lindsay; and George Moran and Brooks Gist, both of Tulare, all charter members.

The Auxiliary was organized in 1956 with Mrs. Dan Boosing, then of Lindsay but now of San Clemente, as first president. Remaining organization funds will be used for nursing scholarships at College of the Sequoias and at Porterville college. A portrait of the late Dr. William Winn, nationally-known medical director of the hospital when the institution was noted for care, treatment and research in the field of tuberculosis, was presented to the Tulare County museum, at Mooney Grove.

Dry bean production in California this season is estimated at five percent less than last year.

New Mexico has 26 state parks.



A TOTAL of 4,017 people in the Porterville area attended the



15th annual 4-H Chuckwagon Breakfast held Saturday on the parking lot of Smith's Town Square. Officials said attendance was down this year, but they still termed the event a huge success. The weather was wonderful and all went smoothly. Local entertainment was provided by Sandy and Randy Cardoza, Linda and Diane Della, Nancy Lee, Carol

Fullbright, Tina Heure and June Fisher. Later in the morning pancake flipping and hog calling contests were held. Lori Rose and Robert Ford of Lindsay were winners in the Jr. Division of the pancake flipping contest. Senior Division winners were Jeanette Winfree of Terra Bella, and Jeff Towers of Success Valley. In the hog calling contest, prize winners were Phil

Eggman, Terra Bella; Gary Laux, Vandalia; Mendy Hoskins, Lindsay; and Tracy Gill, Success Valley. All the 4-H Clubs involved appreciate the support of the community, according to Mrs. Richard Lee, wagonmaster. Out of town residents who attended the event came from as far as Nebraska, Ohio, and Iowa as well as Germany and Japan. (Farm Tribune photos)



From  
**Daybell  
Nursery**

By John

Autumn is in the air. Fall colors are fast appearing, leaves are coming down, there's a little more nip in the morning air, and besides it's nearly time for black cats and witches again. The plants know all about this so the mums are showing color and the liquid amber trees are turning liquid amber as their name implies.

It is time therefore to get moving, before the ice age returns, and get your fall planting underway. Bulbs are in wonderful supply, small started plants of everything from Alyssum to Viola are ready to go. All you need is a sharp stick to get the gardener moving.

Many seeds may still be planted while the soil remains warm but each day counts now so the sooner the better. We hate to rush you but the fact remains that this planting season is a short quick one. Next thing you know it will be spring planting season. On second thought if you really hurry you may be really ready for spring and can forget about fall. Might be better even.

Anyway we're on "E" just north of Olive. Come any time except Sunday.

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## DEFECTIVE DASH LIGHTS MAY INDICATE MORE SERIOUS TROUBLE

PORTERVILLE — Vehicles with defective tail lights or stop lights are a real hazard on the highways, but the California Highway patrol finds that most motorists stopped for having inoperative lights are unaware of the problem.

Lt. E.J. Heringer of the Porterville area of the Highway patrol reports that when the dashboard lights go out, it is a signal on most vehicles, that one or more of the tail lights or stop lights is out of order as well.

Many manufacturers have equipped late model vehicles with a fusing system that provides this warning, but car

## ROY TIDERMAN PRESENTS AWARDS AT ROCKFORD 4-H CLUB MEETING

ROCKFORD — Roy Tideman, of Security Pacific National Bank, presented Rockford 4-H members and leaders with their achievement pins and certificates for the past year at October meeting.

Leaders receiving awards were Mr. and Mrs. John Briano, Mrs. Robert Baggerly, Mrs. Foster Brinkley, Mrs. Walter Buchak, Mrs. Weldon Clark, Mrs. Paul Gibson, Pete Lunstad, Fred

owners are unaware of it.

When dashlights appear to be defective, Lt. Heringer advises, the rear vehicle lights should be checked immediately for safety's sake, as well as to comply with the law.

Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Mortensen, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Noble, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stevens, David Sarr, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Valine.

Junior Leaders who received awards were Rodney Valine, Cathy Mortensen, Suzie Buchack, David Koontz, and Kathy and Giovanna Briano.

Bronze star awards were presented to Kathy, David, and Donald Baggerly, Scott Daniels, Ronald and Donald Mortensen, Suzie Buchack and Fred Hughes. Linda Stevens received a silver star.

Reports at the meeting were given by Ronda Gibson, trophy case; Denise Flory, Jeff Valine, and Steven Sarr, County fair; Susanna Borba, 4-H Sunday. Fred Daniels also reported on the 4-H Breakfast tickets.

Other club activities include a window display, under the chairmanship of Scott Daniels was put up in Brinkley's hardware in Poplar. Serving on the committee were Ronald Mortensen, co-chairman; Donald and Kathy Baggerly, and Linda Boyd.

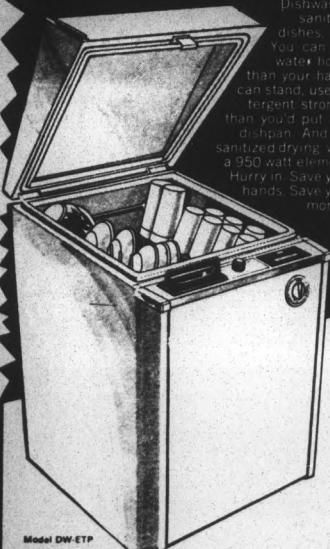
On Sunday, October 4, a potluck was held at Rockford School cafeteria. Members attended the church of their choice in the morning. Serving on the committee were Susanna Borba, chairman, Denise Flory co-chairman, and Barry Stevens.

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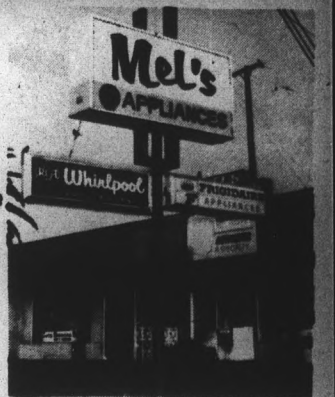
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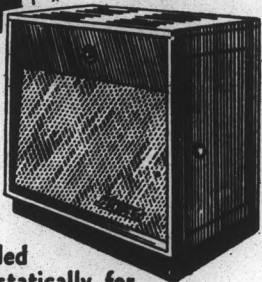


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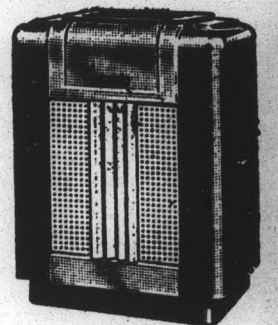
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TRIBUTE WAS paid to Assemblyman Gordon Duffy by the Health Services Community at a testimonial dinner Friday evening at Gang Sue's with representatives of a number of health service organizations coming from throughout the state to participate. Photo shows, from left: Porterville Mayor Dick Spencer; John Montgomery, assistant to the secretary, U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare, and principal speaker of the evening; Mrs. John Busse, of Success Valley, a sister of

Montgomery; Assemblyman Duffy; Mike Hamilton, dinner chairman, and Mrs. Hamilton; William Grimm, from Sacramento, executive director, C.S.P.T., and Mrs. Grimm; Charles Tedder, a member of the dinner committee, and Mrs. Tedder. Organization representatives were introduced by Grimm; guests were introduced by Judge George Carter; invocation was spoken by Father Joseph Farrington; benediction was given by the Rev. Ragnar Kjeldahl; Bill Rodgers served as master of

ceremonies. Entertainment that practically "stole the show" was provided by the "Band Aides," a musical group of patients from the Porterville State hospital, directed by Stan Tice with an assist from Alice Tice. More than 200 persons attended the \$15 per plate, fund-raising event. (Farm Tribune photos)

## OUR TOWN

By Ruth Loyd

Talk about a frustrated pepper farmer. Bob Nuckols got some of those new magnetic signs for his pick-up. When they arrived, he and Emma rushed outside and slapped them on the pick-up door and they promptly fell off. Pick it up again and whap against the door. Down it went. It seems those magnetic signs don't stick on just any old door. Robert hadn't thought about that little problem. He knows now.

The Kiwanis Kapers were excellent again this year. There seemed to be something for everyone. It not only is fun to go to a good show, it is fun to go to OUR AUDITORIUM and see OUR TOWN all dressed up and ready for some good entertainment. Kiwanis members were all over the place with carnations on their lapels, greeting friends and trying to find the right seats for the right tickets. Paul Krueger gave the best president's speech yet. He said a very few words and got off the stage. Kiwanis insists on a clean family show, and it is difficult for some of the entertainers who are used to night club work. Toning down some of the jokes is quite an art. One Barn production, years ago, went to Exeter for a Kiwanis show. The show, "Arsenic and Old Lace," is full of naughty words, and the cast was hard put to substitute nice words at the last moment. Sitting in the audience, and knowing the show, it was hilarious. The actors would stop in the middle of the action and a funny look would come over their faces. They would think fast and come up with some word like, heck, oh my, darn, and oh my goodness! The end of the show depends on the last line. The actor stands in the middle of the stage, and says this loud and clear. He stood there in the white spotlight and thought a minute and came up with, "Thank God, I'mmmmm.a . . . illegitimate?" The audience knew what he meant.

Nicki Ingraham has been president of the Women's Golf association for a year, and now would gladly turn it over to someone else. Being president of that group is quite a job, but she made it, and did a good job. She plays a wild game of golf too. She and Dutch Schmid won a tournament and won't let anyone forget it. Auleana Sparks kept all the clippings from local papers, except The Farm Tribune, and they are in a nice scrapbook. The Tribune isn't golf minded. It goes for the nicer things like cows and sheep.

What is this about the sixth period study hall at Monache. Such goings on. Mickey Gray putting tacks on chairs. Jeff Taylor busy folding airplanes and taking deadly aim. Not too much studying going on, but lots

## BURTON 4-H AWARDS PRESENTED AT ACHIEVEMENT NIGHT PROGRAM

BURTON — First meeting of the Burton 4-H club this year was attended by members, parents, and others interested in 4-H and its opportunities, with President Davalynn Chamberlain presiding.

Flag salute was led by Debra Churchill; Marianne Nuckols gave a report on 4-H Summer camp; Anne LaPresta gave a report on summer activities; a "Thank You" for being 4-H leaders was extended to Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Weisenberger; Mrs. Dave Chamberlain was introduced as the new leader for the coming year and parents were introduced by each member present.

Mrs. Weisenberger presented achievement pins or certificates to the following members or project leaders: 1-year members were Carol Fox, Lee Ann Fox, Joan Gunning, Terry Hayden, Tammy Holt, Karen Webb, Debbie Zumwalt, Kathy Zumwalt, David Serafin;

2-year members were Randy Burns, Conan Crane, Mat Crane, Jenny Duarte, Gail Farrow, Brad Helton, Elisa Lombardi, Sherry Overholt, Kristi Pernu, Randy Phillips; 3-year members were Robby Jones, Suzie Jones, Anne LaPresta, Tim Martinez, Dana Pierce, Joyce Wells; 4-year members were Debra Churchill, Kimo Falconer, Allan Lombardi, Tyler Martinez, Marianne Nuckols, Robby Phillips, Terry Roberson, Kim Serafin, Preston Shires, Beverly Svoboda, Ty Vossler, Neal Weisenberger;

5-year members were Ruth Doyel, Leslie Pierce, Nicky Serafin; 6-year members were Debbie Dulay, Shirley Miner, Mark Shepard; 7-year members were Brigid Crane, Davalynn Chamberlain; 8-year members were Tina Vossler and Doug Owen.

Junior Leader certificates were awarded to Davalynn Chamberlain, Doug Owen and Terry Roberson; bronze stars were awarded to Debbie Dulay, Anne LaPresta, Tyler Martinez, Shirley Miner, Kimo Falconer, Elissa Lombardi, Kim Serafin, and Preston Shires.

Neal Weisenberger received a silver star and Davalynn Chamberlain was awarded a gold star.

Leaders receiving certificates and pins were: 1-year leaders Gerald Burns, Mrs. William Farrow, Mrs. Clyde Helton, Mrs. Curtis Roberson, Joe Svoboda; 2-year leaders were Mrs. David Chamberlain, Donald Falconer, Mrs. Joy Hayward, Mrs. Ed. Wells; 3-year leaders were Mrs. Sheela Churchill, Al Winton;

5-year leaders were Mrs.

Wilha Pernu, Mrs. Al Winton; 6-year leaders were Mrs. Guido Lombardi, Ben Serafin; 7-year leader was Jim Martinez; 8-year leader was Mrs. Calvin Weisenberger; 9-year leaders were Mrs. Emma Nuckols, and Calvin Weisenberger; 10-year leader was Guido Lombardi.

Those 4-H members receiving pins for 100% attendance for 1969-70 were Randy Burns, Kimo Falconer, Gail Farrow, Brad Helton, Robby Jones, Suzie Jones, Tim Martinez, Shirley Miner, Sherry Overholt, Kristi Pernu, Robby Phillips, Leslie Pierce, Terry Roberson, David Serafin, Nicky Serafin, Preston Shires, Beverly Svoboda, Neal Weisenberger, Jenny Duarte, Tammy Holt, Anne LaPresta, and Kathy Zumwalt.

Mrs. Weisenberger made an appeal for the parents to see that 4-H youngsters attend project meetings and also she advised more parents to become project leaders. Kimo Falconer led the group in the 4-H pledge and the meeting was adjourned by the president. Refreshments were served by the refreshment committee for September.

## De Medeiros, Azevedo Head Duffy Committee

HANFORD — Assemblyman Gordon Duffy's campaign headquarters has announced the appointment of George De Medeiros of Tulare and Edward L. Azevedo of Hanford to head up the "Dairymen for Duffy Committee."

In a joint statement, De Medeiros and Azevedo said they were supporting Duffy for re-election because of his successful representation of the dairy industry during his five years as a member of the Assembly Agriculture committee.

"The dairy industry cannot afford to lose this kind of responsive and effective representation in Sacramento," they said.

De Medeiros, manager of the Dairyman's Cooperative Creamery association in Tulare, was recently appointed to the 22 member California Agricultural Advisory committee of the University of California.

Azevedo, well known Hanford producer, was Kings County Dairyman of the Year in 1969.

California had 7,825 acres in celery as of October 1, greatest acreage for several years.

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of good gossip. Now all they have to do is beat the Panthers.

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A JAPANESE delegation of four orthopedists, three physical therapists, and two interpreters arrived at Porterville State hospital October 9 for a 15-day visit to study the hospital's program of orthopedic surgery. In photo, from left, seated: Takashi Makiiara, RPT, of the Okayama University hospital; Hinao Wakayama, M.D., chief orthopedist, and Tomiji Kawade, chief physical therapist, Nagoya First Red Cross hospital; Miss Yoko Kazama, interpreter, Japan Tourist service. Standing,

from left: Isao Nara, RPT, interpreter; Masao Sekine, M.D., Oyama Medical Assn. hospital; Takashi Nomoto, chief physical therapist, Tokyo Medical & Dental University hospital; Shinichi Mizue, M.D., Tokiwadaira Central hospital; Hiroyuki Kunisada, M.D., Ehime Crippled Children's hospital; and Michael Miller, supervising physical therapist at the Porterville State hospital, local coordinator. The group will visit a number of other hospitals in the area. (Farm Tribune photo)

## PARADE

(Continued From Page 1)

Honored guests riding in the parade will be State Senator and Mrs. Howard Way.

During the parade, public address systems will be set up along the line of march to keep spectators informed. Formation area will be north of Morton street, with persons entering informed of their exact area and their place in the line of march.

## BENEFIT DANCE

(Continued From Page 1)

sponsor is Springville chamber of commerce.

Benefit aspect comes from the fact that curbs and gutters through the business area of Springville must be provided in connection with a State Highway department project to improve highway 190 from the River Island golf course to the substation above Springville.

A number of property owners in the Springville business district have agreed to take care of curb and gutter costs, however some additional funds will be needed. The Springville chamber of commerce is "ramrodding" the improvement project.

General Chairman for the benefit dance is Sid Boswell; on his committee are: J.B. Gibson, Ray Corzine, and Bill Ramsey. The public is invited to the dance.

Yield and quality of cotton in the desert areas of the state have been reduced by insect damage.

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16-17-"Everybody Loves Opal," College Theater  
17-Dedication of Sequoia Crest Redwood To Buck Shaffer  
17-P.C. vs Merced  
17-Opening, Duck Season  
17-Orange Crate Derby  
22-Terra Bella Chamber of Commerce Banquet  
22-Republican Election Jamboree, Exeter  
22-24-"Everybody Loves Opal," College Theater  
23-Monache vs Hanford  
28-Past Commanders' Dinner, American Legion Post 20  
29-Annual Dairy Herd Improvement Assn. Meet, Tulare  
30-Porterville Hi vs Delano  
31-County Cattlemen's Fall Meeting, Woodville

### NOVEMBER

5-March of Dimes Basketball Game  
6-Monache vs Cantwell of Montebello  
7-P.C. vs Reedley  
8-Veterans' Memorial Service  
11-Veterans Day & Homecoming  
13-Porterville Hi vs Mt. Whitney  
13-County CowBelle's Election Meeting, Porterville  
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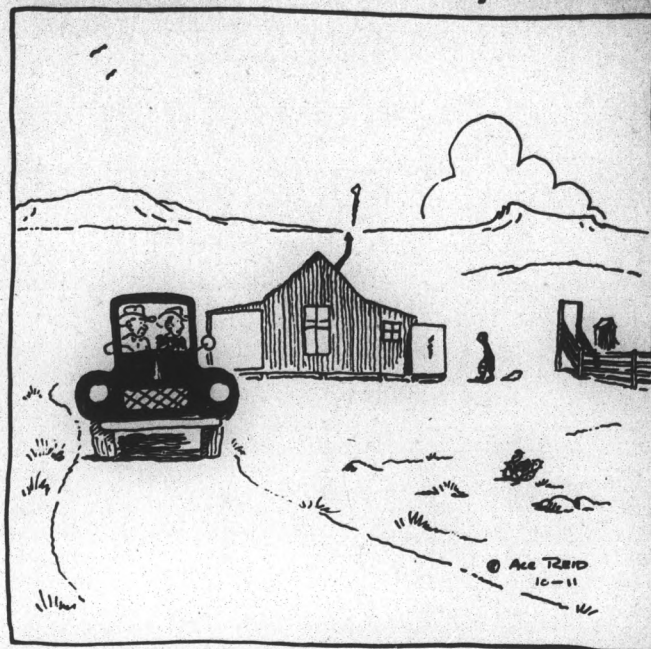
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## PIONEER WATER CO. PROJECT

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district, \$1 million; and San Joaquin River Basin flood control study, \$125,000.

Mathias testified last May before the House Appropriation's Sub-committee on Public Works in behalf of these projects.

Pioneer Water company obtains its natural water through rights held to Tule river water, some of these rights going back to 1866. These are the oldest water rights on the Tule river.

The company stores its water back of Success dam, and outlet into the Pioneer Water system was built into the dam itself.

Original Pioneer ditch was dug by Tule Indian labor in the early 1860s to provide water power for the old flour mill that was located in what is now Murry park.

Present section of the ditch through the park that includes the water fall will be left open for its scenic value to the park.

In its early days, the Pioneer ditch was owned by the Pioneer Land and Water Company. In 1888, the land company - involving a group of investors from San Francisco who were early developers in the town of Porterville and its surrounding area - set up a separate unit, the Pioneer Water company as a stock company with R. Porter Putnam, founder of Porterville, as the first president.

At present, 3200 shares of stock are represented in the company, with the city of Porterville a major stockholder.

Serving on the present board of directors, with Hilton, are: R.J. Owen, Bill Rodgers, Irwin Boradori and Bob Hawkins.

## BUCK SHAFFER TO BE HONORED

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Grove of Honor. First was Amos Alonzo Stagg, the great football coach and inspirational teacher; second was Al Tienken, Lindsay pioneer, who was one of the instigators of the Grove of Honor; third was Jesse Stockton, member of a pioneer Kern county family, a "mountain man" throughout his life, and former Kern county

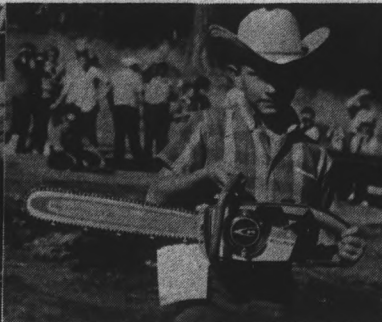
superintendent of schools.

Shaffer, who came to Porterville high school in 1953, was originally from Shinnston, West Virginia. He served in the U.S. Air Force during World War II, and was a member of the Lemoore Air base band.

At Porterville his High School Panther band became known state wide, having appeared in



**CROWD PLEASER** at the weekend Paul Bunyan days at Camp Nelson was the birling contest - log rolling to you flatlanders - with left photo showing Tina Hedrick and her brother, Wes, from Grass Valley, going for top money. (Tina won) Center, Dennis Spuhler, son of the LeRoy Spuhler's, of Strathmore, with the power saw that he won the second day of the show. (Mrs. Leonard Lasken,



of Tarzana, won an identical saw the first day) And at right, Jeri Baker presents the all-around champion award to Martin Hedrick. About 1,000 persons, many from southern California, attended the two-day show, put on by professional loggers, most of whom are members of the California Lumberjacks' association. First and second day winners in the events were: Ax throw: Dale Tex and Alvin



McDonald, both of North Fork; choker setting: Jim Taylor, of Fort Bragg, both days; Jack and Jill: Martin and Tina Hedrick, both days; working power saw: Martin Hedrick, both days; hand chopping: Martin Hedrick, both days; hot saw: Alvin McDonald and Dennis Bevan, of Fort Bragg; double bucking: Martin and Wes Hedrick, both days; and birling: Tina Hedrick, both days. (Greta Stewart photos)

## TERRA BELLA BANQUET

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The Fowler's sons, Douglas N., and Glen are both vice presidents of the corporation. Both are natives of Bakersfield and were educated in schools there.

Glen came into the family business in 1960 following his stint with the U.S. Navy during which he was on the admiral's staff and stationed in Japan. He has been with the company since the inception of its pistachio project. In 1969 he traveled to Greece, Turkey, Iran, Lebanon,

and distribution was handled by Capitol records.

Shaffer has been chosen in past years as Man of the Year by both the Porterville chamber of commerce and the Porterville junior chamber; he was Tulare County Teacher of the Year in 1968; he was selected by School Musician magazine as one of 10 top band directors in America; he has received the City of Hope award for humanitarianism; and he has been cited by the Veterans of Foreign Wars for his efforts in teaching and living "Americanism."

Joining Shaffer Saturday on the official stand will be his wife, Candy, and his two sons, Frank "Skipper" Shaffer, who plays drums in both the Panther band and the Fabulous Studio band, and Bill Shaffer.

Claud Rouch, president of the Western High Sierra association, the organization that is sponsoring the dedication ceremony, says that Shaffer is being honored "because we know that every youngster under his influence has been instilled with a greater appreciation of what America really stands for."

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Syria, and other countries of the Middle East to study the native methods of pistachio culture.

In 1962 Douglas came into the family corporation from farming operations in Kern county. He is in charge of the general field crews and pilot of the company plane which makes numerous trips between the headquarters at Terra Bella and the new pistachio project in Madera county.

In its nurseries, harvesting, and processing the Fowler corporation has been innovative and a leader in the pistachio industry. Traditionally pistachios have always been harvested by hand, a slow and laborious process. Preparation for market also involved much hand work. The Fowlers have invented and constructed ways to make many of these processes completely automatic by utilization of machinery, much of it of original design.

Welcome at the Terra Bella chamber banquet will be given by Chamber President Glen Duysen; a Terra Bella Legionnaire will lead the Pledge of Allegiance; an invocation and benediction will be voiced by Rev. George Steinbeck, chaplain at the Good Shepherd Lutheran home; Supervisor Raymond Muller, also a past chamber president, will be master of ceremonies and there will be singing by Terry Estabrook of Porterville, in addition to the pistachio program.

The dinner, featuring ham, sweet potatoes, green beans, salad, rolls, dessert and coffee, is to be prepared and served by members of the Terra Bella Clipper club of the United Presbyterian church, under the chairmanship of Mr. and Mrs. Don Tyrrell.

Tickets, at \$3.50 each, are available in Porterville at the several banks, at the Pacific Telephone office or at the chamber of commerce office. In Terra Bella they are available at downtown business houses, from chamber directors or at the TBID office.

J. Martin Brown, ticket chairman, says the sale of tickets is going well. Ernest Taylor is the general chairman for the banquet.

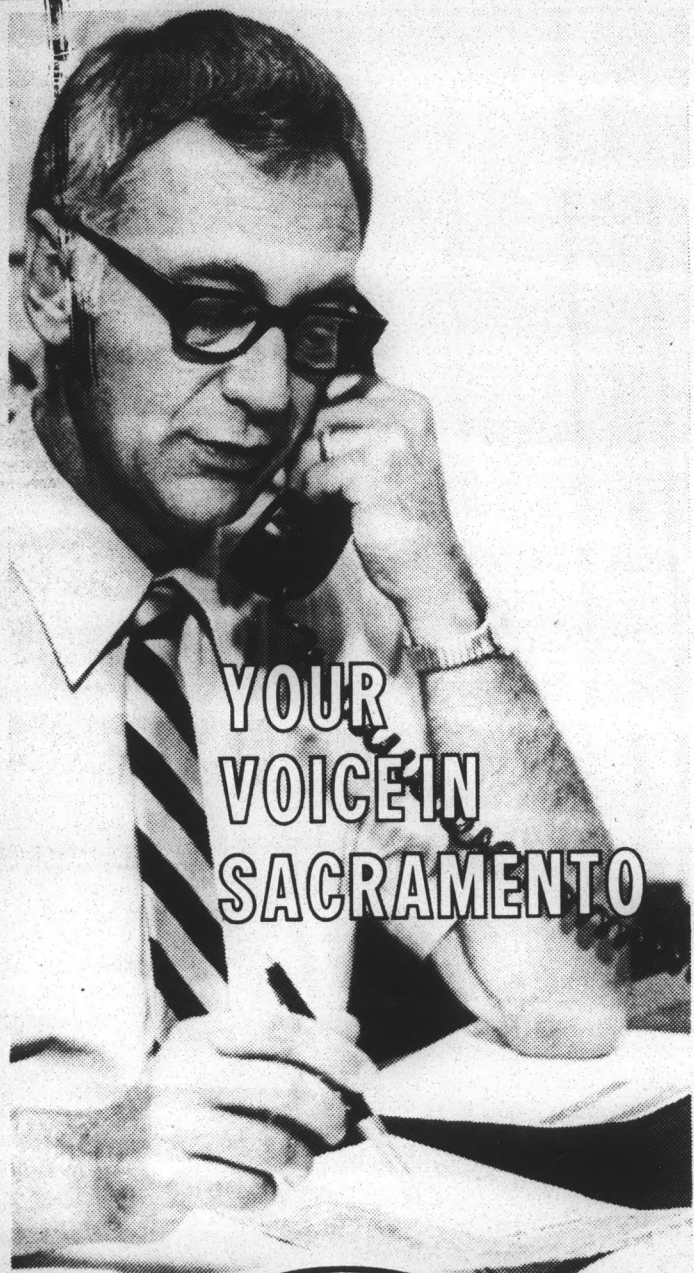
The deadline for reservations is 5 p.m. Tuesday, October 20, Taylor said.

The decor for the banquet, to be done by the members of the Terra Bella Rose Garden club, will be in green and gold and will utilize pistachio nuts.

## QUEEN CANDIDATES SOUGHT

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Selected with the Homecoming queen will be four attendants; organizations throughout the community are being asked to sponsor a queen candidate. Tentative date for selection ceremony has been set for November 2.



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